

REMARKS

Claims 1-44 and 46-60 are pending in the above-identified application. These claims have been subjected to an Election Requirement. In view of the fact that the present application is a national phase entry of a PCT International Application, it is submitted that Unity of Invention requirements apply.

Applicant elects Example 17 which is described at pages 128-9 of the present specification so as to define the variables "B", "L", etc. for Formula (E). This election is respectfully made with a traversal. First, it is requested that if the Examiner identifies allowable subject matter that the search and examination continue to at least a reasonable number of species. Secondly, it is respectfully submitted that there is not an undue burden placed on the Examiner to examine the full scope of the present claims such that the above Election Requirement should be withdrawn. In this regard, note that a significant majority of the present pending claims recite compounds which share several significant core structural features, such that search and examination issues likely overlap with regard to these various compounds. Thus, it is requested that the above Requirement be withdrawn.

If any questions arise in the above matters, please contact Applicant's representative, Andrew D. Meikle (Reg. No. 32,868), in the Washington Metropolitan Area at the phone number listed below.

If necessary, the Director is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge any fees required during the pendency of the above-identified application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

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Respectfully submitted,

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